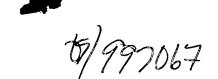
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## ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

A user borrows a digital camera from a shop, captures a desired image with the digital camera, and then returns the digital camera to the shop. At the shop, unique address data (a URL) is assigned to the user and the image data captured by the user is stored on a server connected to the Internet. To obtain the image data they captured, the user accesses the server using the unique address assigned at the shop.